



## YOUTH COMMISSION MONTHLY

# A G E N D A

**Commission Chair, Kavya Shankar;  
Annie Chung, Aaron Carrera, Kasey Ong, Nicholas Taxera, Amanda Aldama,  
Nwakaego Uzoh, Daniel Stromfeld, and Nicholas Polussa**

**Regular Monthly Meeting  
September 28, 2009  
6:00p to 8:00p.m.  
City Hall  
Council Chambers  
200 East Santa Clara Street  
San José, CA. 95113**

**1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

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**2. APPROVAL OF MINTUES**

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August meeting minutes

**3. CEREMONIAL ITEMS**

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None

**4. OPEN FORUM**

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*Persons wishing to address the Commission on matters not on the agenda may do so under Oral Communications. Speakers are limited to 2 minutes. All statements that require a response may be placed on the agenda for a future meeting and may be referred to staff for review and reply in writing.*

**5. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT**

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Tiana Seymore – Assistant to Vice Mayor, Judy Chirco  
Ben Yurman-Glaser – Mayors office, Community Relations and Policy Aide

**6. LIAISON REPORTS**

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Truancy Report	Sergeant Quezada
- Julia Alloggiamento from the District Attorney Office will be presenting a special truancy report to the commission	
San Jose Public Library	Angie Miraflor
Senior Citizens Commission Report	Elisa Perez
Human Rights Commission	Vanessa Burbach

**7. AD HOC WORKING TEAM REPORTS**

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Executive Report	Kavya Shankar
a. Project Cornerstone Collaboration meeting outcome	
b. Youth Commission retreat minutes	

**8. COMMISSIONER REPORTS**

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District 1	Kavya Shankar
District 2	Annie Chung
District 3	Aaron Carrera
District 4	Kasey Ong
District 5	Vacant
District 6	Nicholas Taxera
District 7	Amanda Aldama
District 8	Nwakaego Uzoh
District 9	Daniel Stromfeld
District 10	Nicholas Polussa
City Wide	Vacant

**9. ACTION ITEMS**

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a.) District 6 Specific Amended Work Plan Commissioners will review and approve the District 6 Specific Amended Work Plan	Nicholas Taxera
b.) Smoking Ban in Apartment Complex Commissioners will review and approve next steps process	Nicholas Taxera
c.) SJPd Newsletter Article Commissioners will approve the first newsletter article To be sent to the Insiders Newsletter, a San Jose Police Department Newsletter	Amanda Aldama
d.) Mayor's Gang Prevention Task Force Partnership Commissioners will review and approve partnership role with the Mayor's Gang Prevention Task Force.	Aaron Carrera
e.) Review and Approve Youth Commission 2009/2010 Strategic Work Plan	Kavya Shankar
f.) Review and Approve Youth Commission By-Laws	Kavya Shankar

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| g.) Review and Approve structure and purpose of Ah Hoc working teams and City Wide commissioners responsibility | Nicholas Polussa |
| h.) Youth Advisory Councils Training Summit<br>Commissioners will discuss training summit                       | Kasey Ong        |
| i.) Officer Elections<br>2009/2010 Officer Elections will take place  | Kavya Shankar    |
| j.) Plastic Bag Issue<br>Commissioners will discuss and take action on the Plastic Bag Issues                   | Nicholas Taxera  |

## **10. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

- a.) City of San Jose Park Manager Dave Mitchell will present the City of San Jose Green Print
- b.) Central County Occupational Program Representative, Ms. Paula Israel will inform the Commission of the different occupational classes and programs the Central Country Occupation Centers provides for teens.

## **11. STAFF REPORTS**

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| YAC Attack Social Update          | Betty Montoya |
| Commission Vacancies Update       | Betty Montoya |
| Commission Code of Conduct        | Betty Montoya |
| 2009 Christmas in the Park Parade | Betty Montoya |
| YC Website Update                 | Veronica Ruiz |
| Facebook Update                   | Veronica Ruiz |

## **12. ADJOURNMENT**

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